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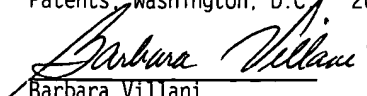
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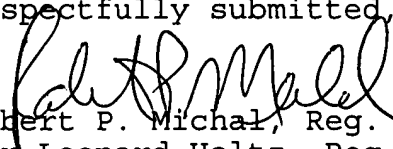
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The publication by Robert Ulichney is identified on pages 14-15 of the specification.

It is respectfully requested that these publications be considered and made of record.

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